

President of the Senate on December 9, 2008; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-9122. A communication from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Alaska; Interstate Transport of Pollution" (FRL-8750-2) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on December 9, 2008; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-9123. A communication from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Emissions Reporting Requirements" (RIN2060-AN20) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on December 9, 2008; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-9124. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the feasibility study that was undertaken to document the development of a project for the South River, Raritan River Basin, New Jersey; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-9125. A communication from the Chief of the Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "2008 Section 846 Discount Factors" (Rev. Proc. 2008-70) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on December 9, 2008; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-9126. A communication from the Chief of the Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Applicable Percentage under Section 3002(A)(1) of the Housing Assistance Tax Act of 2008" (Notice 2008-106) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on December 9, 2008; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-9127. A communication from the Chief of the Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Midwestern and Hurricane Ike Disaster Areas and Population Estimates" (Notice 2008-109) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on December 9, 2008; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-9128. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Fiscal Year 2007 Report on Pediatric HIV/AIDS Treatment and Prevention"; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-9129. A communication from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Case-Zablocki Act, 1 U.S.C. 112b, as amended, the report of the texts and background statements of international agreements, other than treaties (List 2008-217 - 2008-221); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-9130. A communication from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to unvouchered expenditures; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-9131. A communication from the Chief Executive Officer, Corporation for National and Community Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office of Inspector General's Semiannual Report and the Corporation's Report on Final Action for the period of April 1, 2008, through September 30, 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-9132. A communication from the Director of Communications and Legislative Affairs, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's Performance and Accountability Report for fiscal year 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-9133. A communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office of Inspector General's Semiannual Report for the period of April 1, 2008, through September 30, 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-9134. A communication from the Chairman, National Capital Planning Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's Performance and Accountability Report for fiscal year 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-9135. A communication from the Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office of Inspector General's Semiannual Report for the period ending September 30, 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-9136. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office of Inspector General's Semiannual Report and the Management Response for the period of April 1, 2008, through September 30, 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-9137. A communication from the Administrator, U.S. Agency for International Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office of Inspector General's Semiannual Report for the period ending September 30, 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-9138. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the General Reevaluation Report relative to the Dallas Floodway, Trinity River; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-9139. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the feasibility study that was undertaken to document the development of a project for the Illinois River between Henry and Naples with particular reference to the non-Federal Peoria River Front Development project; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. LEAHY, from the Committee on the Judiciary:

Report to accompany S. 3501, a bill to ensure that Congress is notified when the Department of Justice determines that the Executive Branch is not bound by a statute (Rept. No. 110-528).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. CASEY:

S. 3732. A bill to assist in creating substantive culture change in long-term residential care by establishing a small house

nursing home loan program to provide for the establishment, renovation, and construction of small house nursing homes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. SPECTER:

S. 3733. A bill to require the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to hold at least 1 public hearing before issuance of a permit affecting public or private land use in a locality; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. ENSIGN (for himself and Mr. REID):

S. 3734. A bill to ratify a water settlement agreement affecting the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Ms. LANDRIEU:

S. 3735. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the eligibility of computer technology and equipment development businesses for enterprise zone incentives; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MENENDEZ:

S. 3736. A bill to amend chapter 417 of title 49, United States Code, to require air carriers and ticket brokers to notify consumers of taxes, fees, charges, and fuel surcharges in a timely manner, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. HARKIN (for himself and Mr. DURBIN):

S. 3737. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to carry out a program to enable certain individuals to trade certain old automobiles for certain new automobiles, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. MENENDEZ:

S. 3738. A bill to amend the Truth in Lending Act to permit deferrals on certain home mortgage foreclosures for a limited period to allow homeowners to take remedial action, to require home mortgage servicers to provide advance notice of any upcoming reset of the mortgage interest rate, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. DORGAN (for himself and Mr. FEINGOLD):

S. 3739. A bill to address the regulation of derivatives and unregistered hedge funds, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. SANDERS:

S. 3740. A bill to ensure access to basic broadcast television after the Digital Television Transition, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. THUNE:

S. 3741. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to prohibit regulation of certain emissions from agricultural production; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. BURR (for himself, Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. THUNE, Mr. NELSON of Florida, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. HATCH, Mr. INHOFE, and Mr. ENZI):

S. Con. Res. 107. A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the rights of Members of Congress (or any employee of a Member of Congress authorized by that Member) to lead tours of the United States Capitol complex; considered and agreed to.